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RC de GO!™

RADIO CONTROL CAR SIMULATOR

Acclaim

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- Do not leave it in direct sunlight or near a radiator or other source of heat.
- Be sure to take an occasional rest break during extended play.
- Keep this compact disc clean. Always hold the disc by the edges and keep it in its protective case when not in use. Clean the disc with a lint-free, soft, dry cloth, wiping in straight lines from center to outer edge. Never use solvents or abrasive cleaners.

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LOADING

1. Set up your PlayStation® game console according to the instructions in its instruction manual.
2. Make sure the power is OFF before inserting or removing a compact disc. Insert RC de Go™ disc and close the Disc Cover. If you wish to save your game, insert a MEMORY CARD (sold separately) into Memory Card Slot 1.
3. Insert game controllers and turn on the PlayStation® game console.

When in gameplay, hold down the SELECT BUTTON and START BUTTON at the same time for 3 seconds to return to the Title Screen.

Follow on-screen instructions to start a game.

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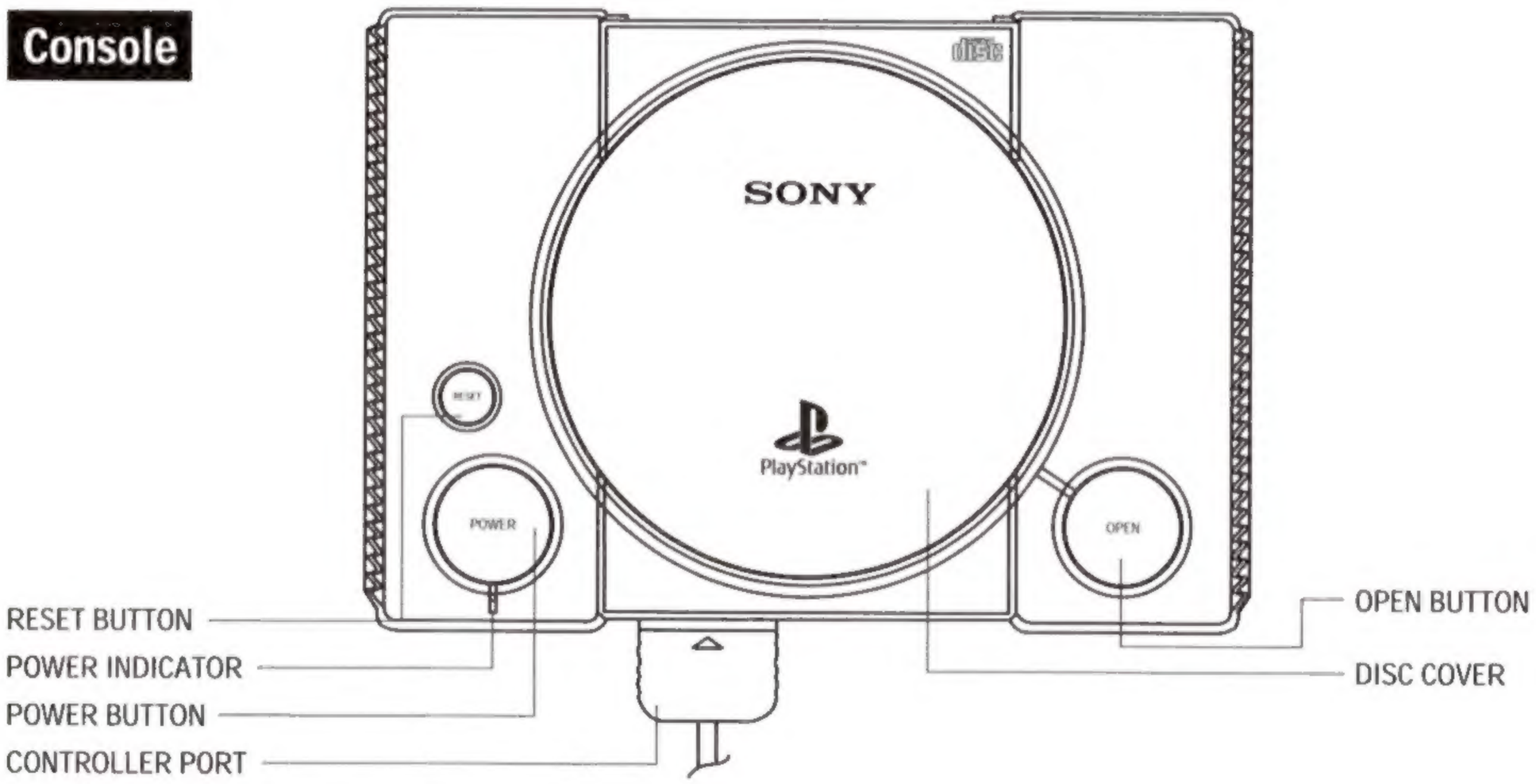

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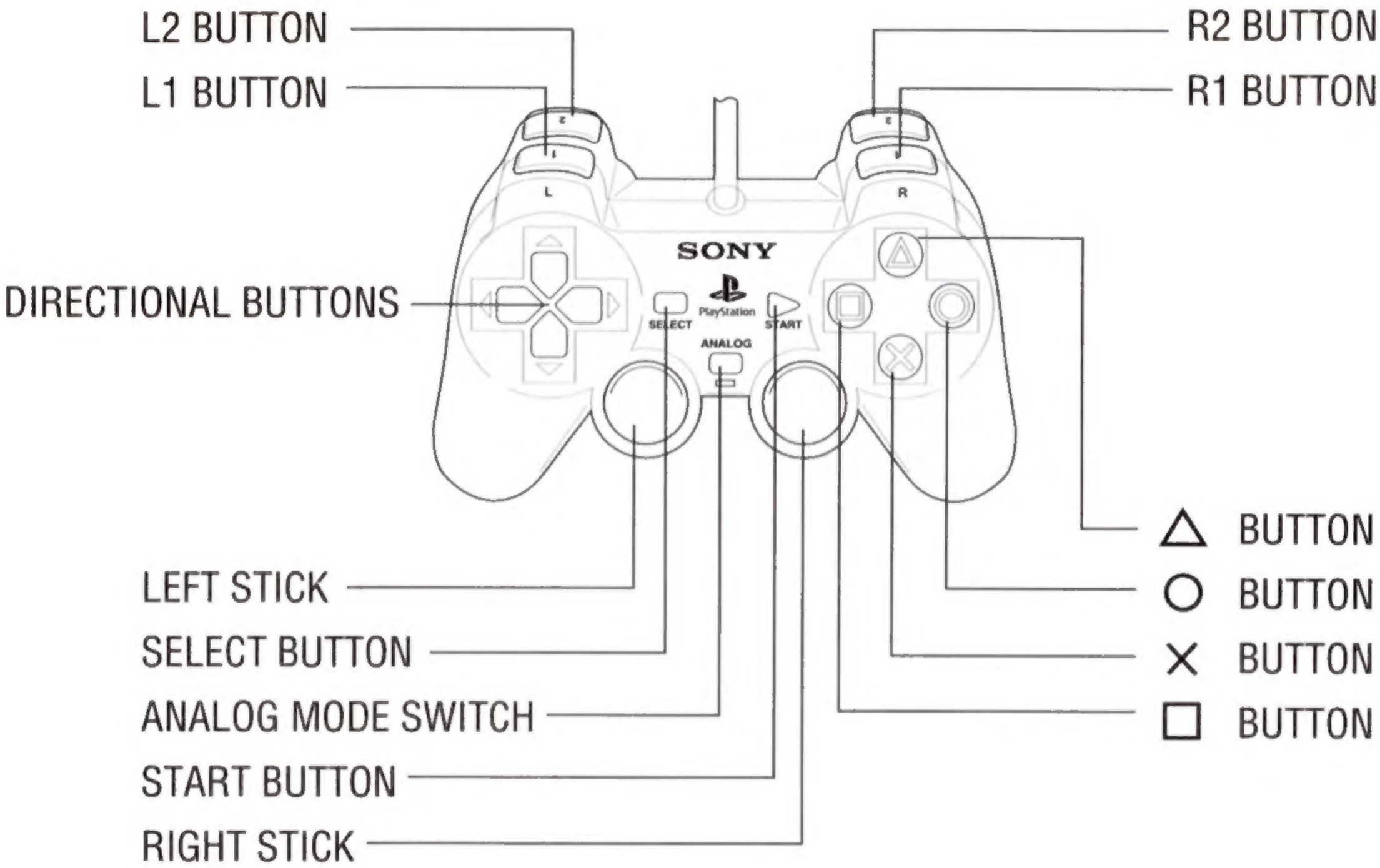

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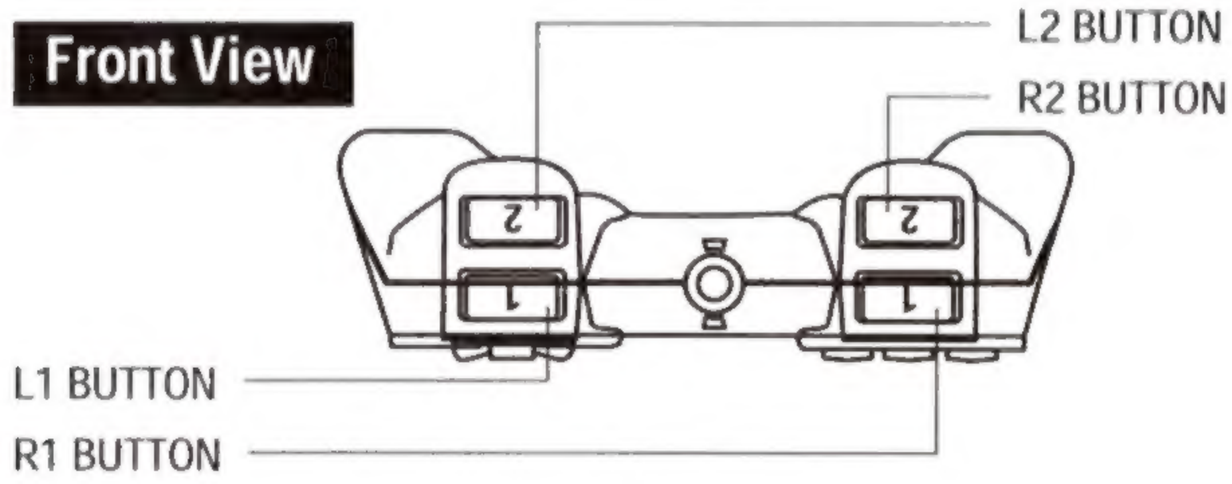

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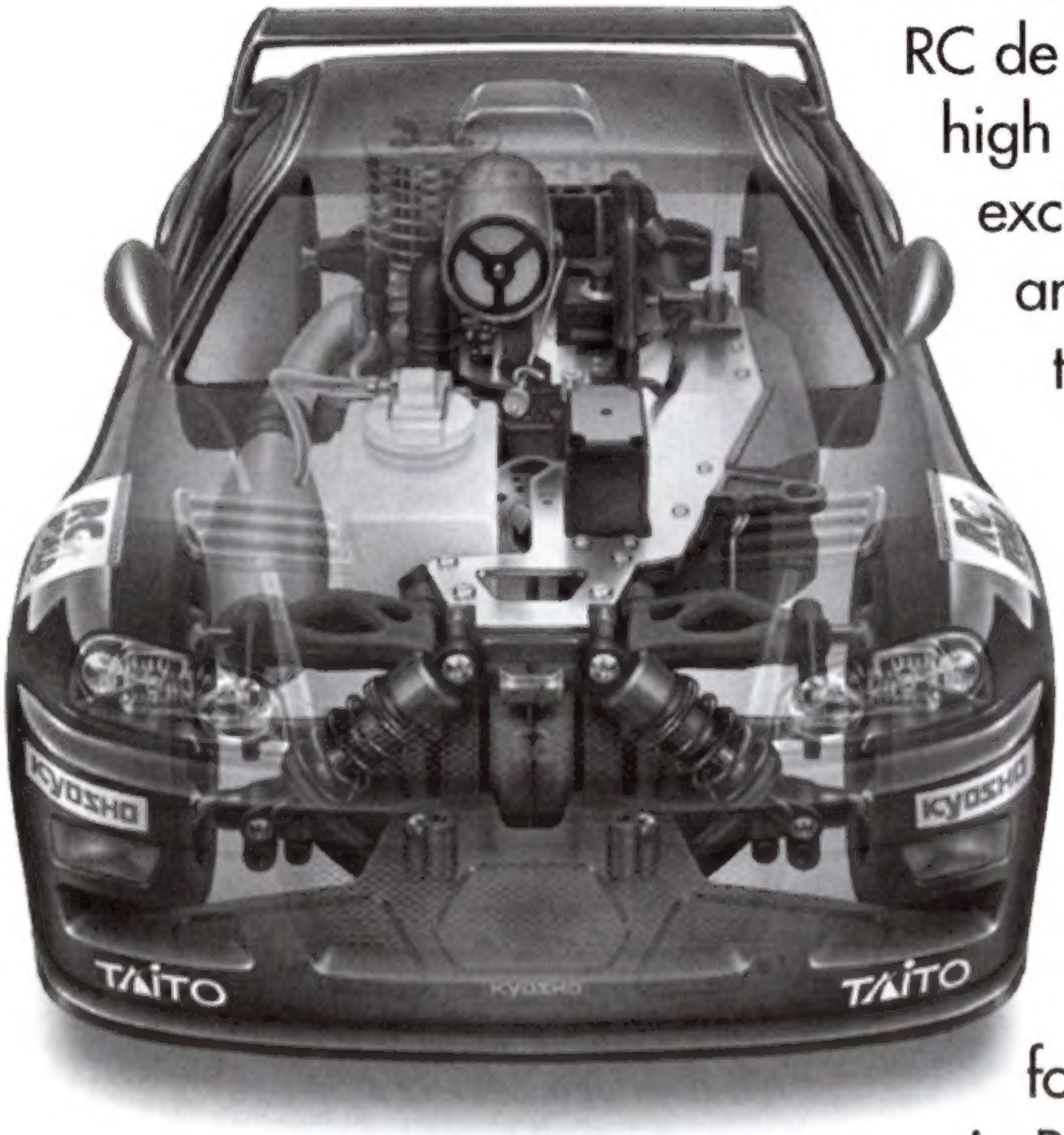
INTRODUCTION



Real RC racing action is here in RC de Go™! Get ready for some high intensity, pulse-pounding excitement as you careen around on-road and off-road tracks. Jump into the action with a Quick Race, test your mettle in the Time Attack or go the distance in Championship. Win big and customize your ride for the hottest RC on the track. Grab your controller and get ready for some miniature mayhem in RC de Go!

MENUS

At the title screen, press the **START BUTTON**. You will see a menu with these choices:

Practice: A control tutorial that culminates in a practice race.

Quick Race: A single track race. Great practice for Championship!

Championship: Win these high-paying races to soup up your chassis.

Time Attack: Race against your own best time or just enjoy the scenery in a Free Run.

Record: Peruse the high scores and where you are in the standings.

Option: Customize RC de Go to your liking.

MENU NAVIGATION

SELECT OPTION	**UP** or **DOWN DIRECTIONAL BUTTON**
TOGGLE THROUGH OPTIONS	**LEFT** or **RIGHT DIRECTIONAL BUTTON**
SELECT/CONFIRM	⊗ **BUTTON**
GO BACK/DESELECT	△ **BUTTON**

OPTIONS

The following options can be changed to customize RC de Go to your specifications.

Difficulty: Select from Easy, Normal and Hard.

Key Configuration: Change the configuration of your controller for your comfort.

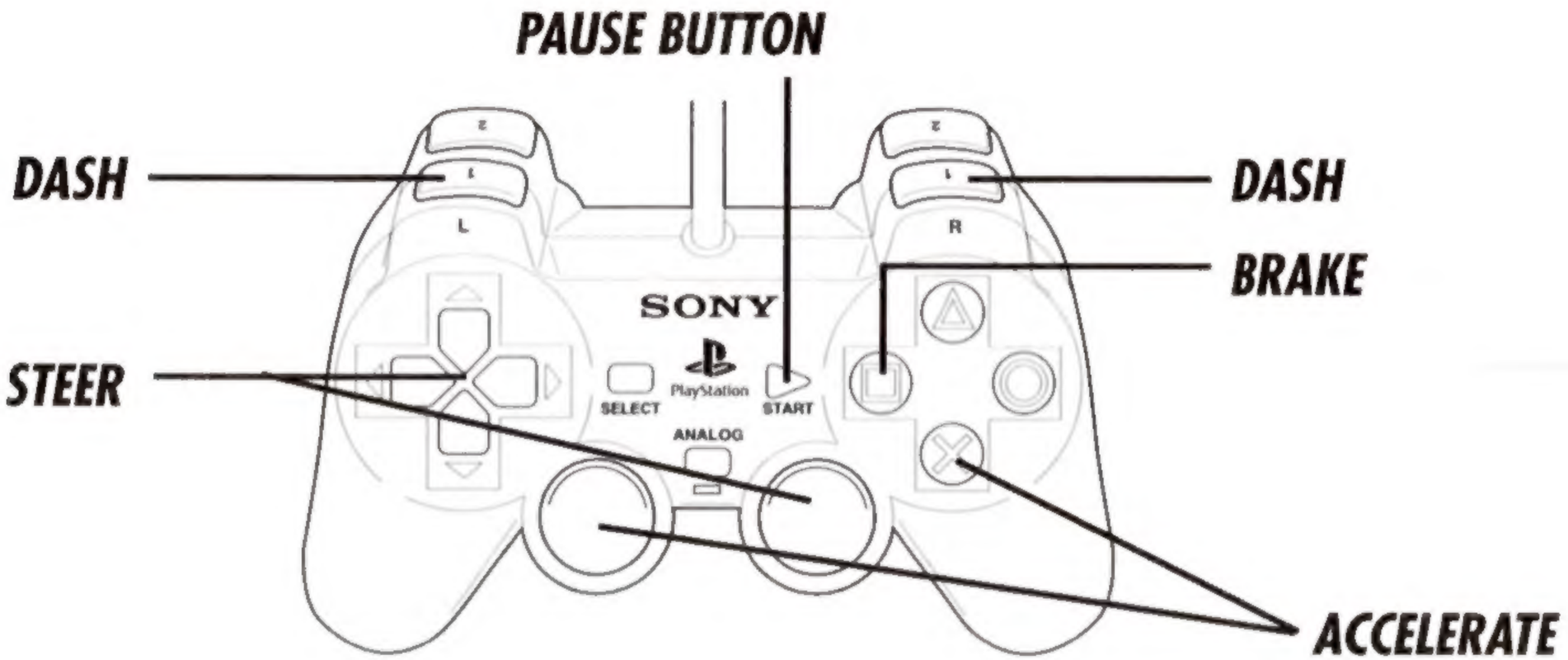
Sound Test: You can listen to RC de Go's groovy soundtrack, raise or lower the volume and change your output from Stereo to Mono here.

Vibration: Turn the Vibration to ON, to feel every shake and rattle in the game.

Save/Load: Save and load your prior records here.

Exit: Highlight "Exit" to return to the Main Menu.

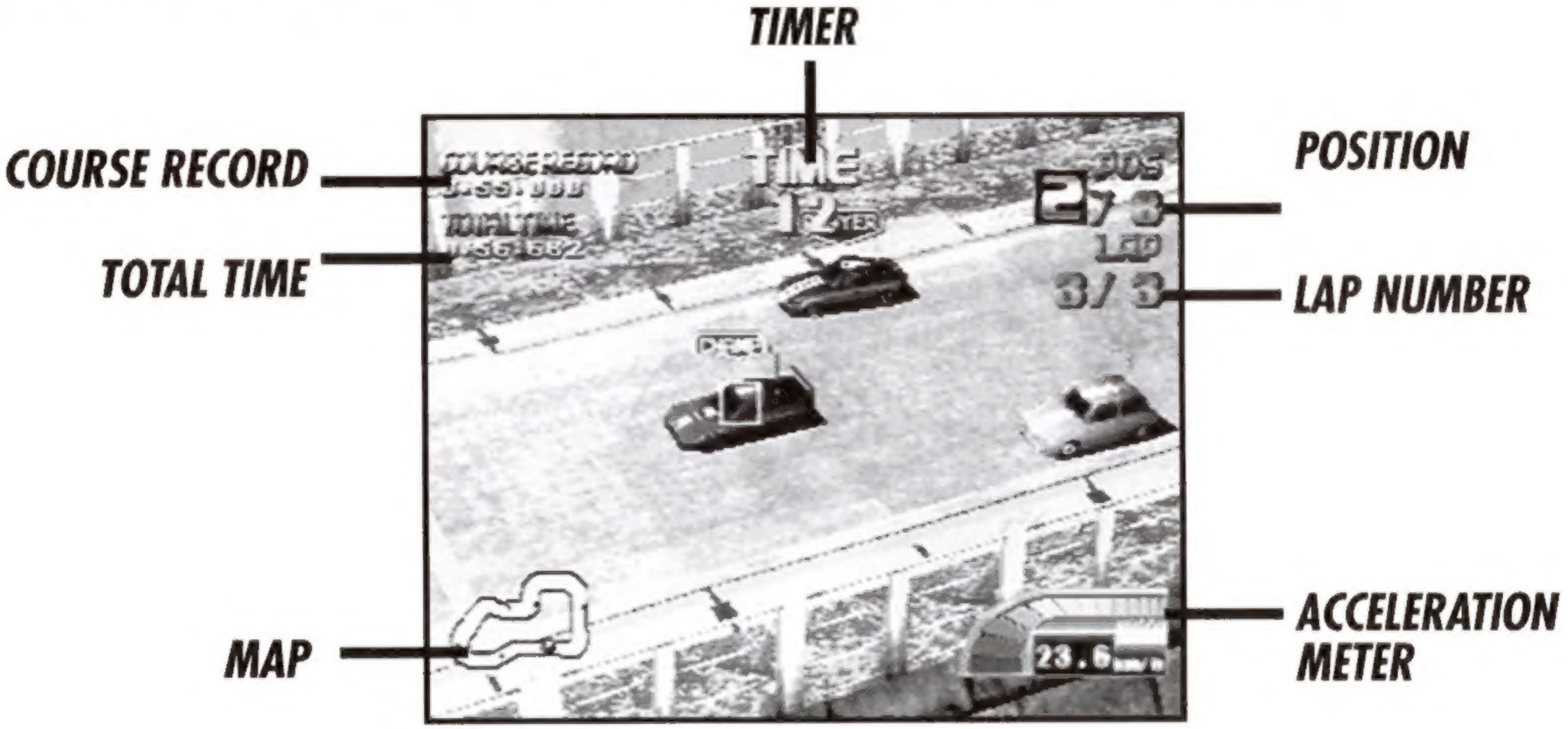
DEFAULT CONTROLS



NOTE: The above is the default configuration for RC de GO. You can change this configuration in the KEY CONFIGURATION area of the OPTIONS menu. Here, you can also see the key configuration for a neGcon controller.

THE SCREEN

Here's a look at the display that will assist you in your drive to victory!



Timer: This clock ticks off the seconds you have left to complete your goal.

Course Record: Displays the fastest time on this course.

Total Time: How much total time has elapsed in your quest.

Map: A miniature version of the course to guide your way.

Acceleration Meter: A graphic and numerical display of your speed.

Lap Number: The amount of laps you've completed and total number of laps necessary to complete the course.

Position: Your current rank out of the total number of cars participating.

GAME MODES

Time Attack

Time Attack mode is great when you want to beat your own time without a lot of traffic on the course. It's also great when you just want to lay back and enjoy the scenery in Free Run. Use the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON LEFT** or **RIGHT** to select a mode (Time Attack or Free Run) and the ⊗ **BUTTON** to confirm your choice. See "Quick Race" for details on how to enter your name, select a Stage, Round and Machine.

Practice

This is a step-by-step introduction to mastering the controls in RC de Go. Steps 1-3 are mini games, designed to help you become proficient steering, acceleration and braking and the combination of all three skills.

Step 1: Turn the car in the direction of the flashing green arrow. Do it fast enough to earn a point. Earn 12 points for a perfect score!

Step 2: Hit the gas for a quick start but be sure you slam on the brakes in time to land in the "Stop" area to earn a point. Earn 8 points for a perfect score!

Step 3: Pop the balloons by applying all you've learned about steering and speed control. The flashing green arrow will point in the direction of the next balloon to be exploded. Pop it to earn a point. Earn 20 points for a perfect score!

Step 4: This is where you put it all together in a real racing situation. Crush the competition in 3 laps around Sky Float Park to see your name emblazoned on the tote board.

Quick Race

Quick Race is a great way to get acquainted with RC de Go or to try out a new car or track.

1. Begin by entering your name. Use the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON** to select a letter and the ⊗ **BUTTON** to confirm your selection.
2. Your next step is to select an On Road or Off Road Stage. Switch between the two choices with the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON LEFT** or **RIGHT**. Use the ⊗ **BUTTON** to confirm your choice of Stage.

3. Next, you need to decide what level of difficulty you'll race at. You can toggle through the choices with the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON LEFT** or **RIGHT** and select from Beginner, Normal or Expert Rank. Use the ⊗ **BUTTON** to confirm your choice of Level.

4. Now you must make the crucial choice of Machine. There are four different types of cars cars: Top Speed, Acceleration, Balance and Handling. Toggle to the combo that you feel most comfortable with (using the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON LEFT** or **RIGHT**) and confirm your choice with the ⊗ **BUTTON**.

5. On the Round Select screen, you'll see all of the available tracks for you to race. Toggle through them with the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON** and confirm the track you want to race on with the ⊗ **BUTTON**.

After you've made your selections, the race begins. Work the kinks out of your game then step over to the Championship race.

Championship

This is where you really test your mettle! The harder the course, the bigger the purse. Score some big cash and you can soup your car up in the Shop (see page 13 for more). Beat all eight On-Road and all six Off-Road courses to become the true RC Champ!

To begin a Championship series, you must first input your name. (see "Quick Race" for details). Next, you'll want to find a chassis that suits you. Next, define your ride with a slick new body.
Decide which course you'll tackle and move on to the race. Let's break these steps down.

Chassis

There are three different types of chassis to choose from. Each one favors a different type of performance: Acceleration, Top Speed and Handling. The high acceleration chassis will give you a quicker start off the line. The top speed chassis allows you to reach higher speeds. The handling chassis has great handling. Toggle through the different chassis with the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON LEFT** or **RIGHT** and use the ⊗ **BUTTON** to confirm your choice.

Body

Although which body you choose won't effect your performance in the least, you'll definitely want your ride to reflect just how cool you are. Use the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON LEFT or RIGHT** to toggle through the various body selections. Once you've found one that satisfies you, press the ⊗ **BUTTON** to confirm.

Course

Here you can select which course you want to race. Remember that the more difficult a race is, the higher the purse. Move the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON LEFT** and **RIGHT** to peruse the On-Road courses. If you press **DOWN** on the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON**, you'll see the Off-Road courses. To toggle between them, press the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON LEFT** or **RIGHT**. To move back to the On-Road races, press **UP** on the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTON** again.
Use the ⊗ **BUTTON** to confirm your choice of course.

SHOP

Once you've earned a few bucks in some races, you'll want to know how to spend them. Well, here's the scoop on what you can buy and how to install it.

HOW TO EARN

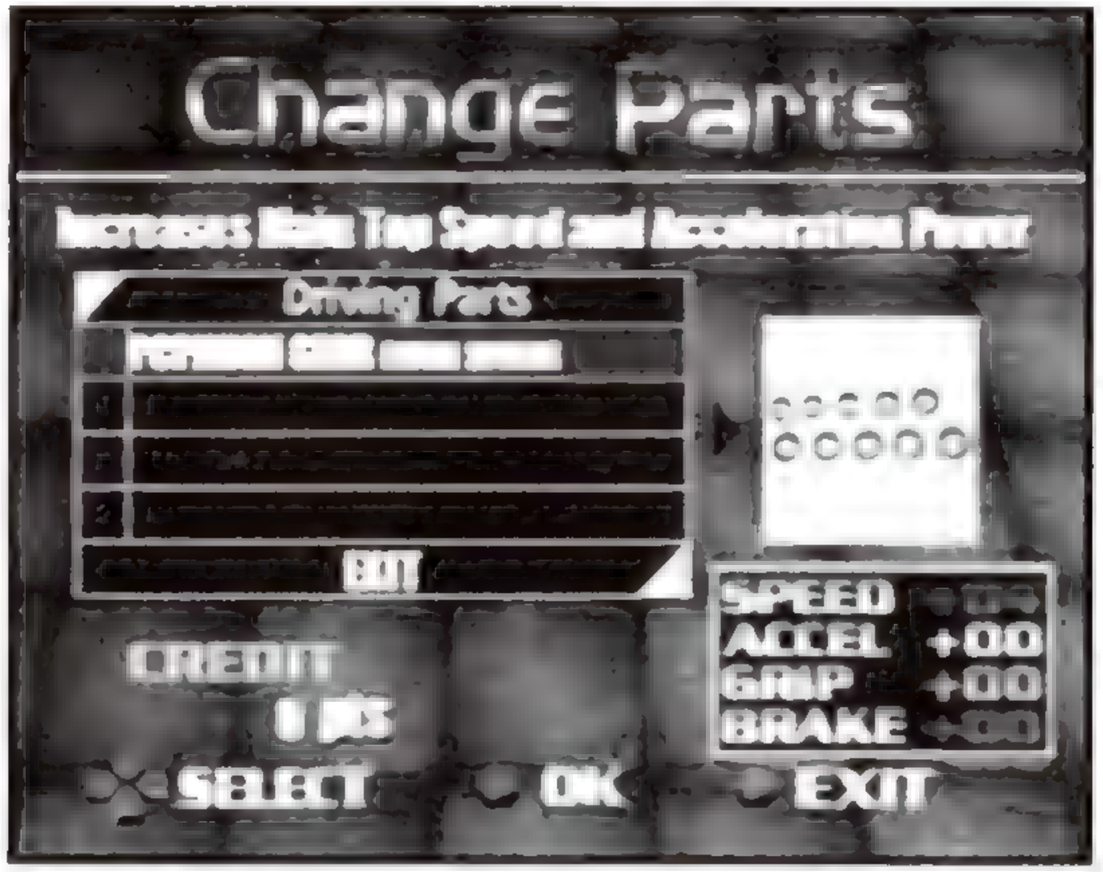
Every time you race in Championship mode, you have the potential to earn points. These points can then be redeemed at the Shop for exciting new upgrades for your car. How do I earn these points, you say? Well, here's the breakdown:

Ranking Points: These points are earned when you place in a Championship race. The number of points you receive is based on how you rank in the race. Finish first for more points!

Record Points: You'll receive a whopping 300 points if you can smash the course record.

Lap Points: Maybe you won't beat the course record but you've had a really great lap. Well, my friend, you deserve a prize! Take 200 points for a job well done.

HOW TO SPEND



After you've completed a race in Championship mode, highlight "Shop" to enter the Parts Shop. Here you can browse the aisles of RC parts that will upgrade your ride to a real hot rod! Use the **UP** and **DOWN DIRECTIONAL BUTTONS** to scroll through the available parts and **LEFT** or **RIGHT** on the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTONS** to scroll through sections. When you've found something you like, that you can afford, press the ⊗ **BUTTON** to purchase that item. Confirm your selection by highlighting "Yes" when prompted and pressing the ⊗ **BUTTON**.

HOW TO INSTALL

Once you've carefully selected the part of your dreams, you'll need to install it for it to have an effect on your current vehicle. Select "Tune Up" on the post Championship race screen. On the Tune Up screen you can elect to add new parts or change existing parts of your RC car by scrolling through sections with the **LEFT** and **RIGHT DIRECTIONAL BUTTONS** and scrolling through parts with the **DIRECTIONAL BUTTONS UP** or **DOWN**. If you've been to the Shop and purchased some new additions, "Add Parts" will be highlighted (for chassis and driving parts only. All other parts are installed via the "Change Parts" screen). Press the ⊗ **BUTTON** to confirm your selection.

When a part is displayed, press the **R1 BUTTON** to see a bar graph display of how the addition of that part will effect your car. A confirmation window will ask you to verify your choice (select "Yes" and press the ⊗ **BUTTON**). Now your new part is installed.

To exchange parts, highlight the part you want to swap out (with the ⊗ **BUTTON**) and the new part you want to apply (again, with the ⊗ **BUTTON**). The rest is the same as adding a new part (see above).

HINTS & TIPS

- Work your way through a Championship series to find hidden tracks and new cars!
- Re-racing tracks in Championship mode gives you more practice controlling your car and helps you earn more cash to buy parts!
- Pay close attention to the many combinations of parts and how they effect your RC. Check out the best combination of shocks and tires and how they boost your performance.

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